

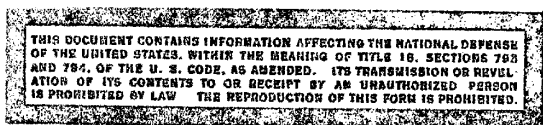
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The ingot rolling plant of the Iron and Steel Works and Rolling Mill in Hennigsdorf is planned to be extended 180 meters during the first 6 months of 1953. Four annealing furnaces are scheduled to be erected in a shed attached to the plant. The order was given by the State Planning Commission in East Berlin on 24 January 1953.

25X1 Comment. The Hennigsdorf Plant is scheduled to have a capacity of 220,000 tons of raw steel and 200,000 tons of rolled products in 1956.

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1. From 18 to 20 April 1953, at night, units from the Flak Kaserne in Leipzig-Schoenau, according to a Soviet soldiers, were loaded at the Rueckmarsdorf railroad station for Ohrdruf. On 7 May, a rear detail of 20 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets was noticed in the installation.
2. At 7 p.m. on 21 April, a troop train carrying 3 guns of about 100-mm to 120-mm; 6 tank trucks; 1 caterpillar tractor, 10 trucks; and personnel passed through the Koethen railroad station and proceeded toward Dessau or Magdeburg.

1. Comment. With the elements of the 8th Gds Mecz Div apparently leaving for Koenigsbrueck prior to 17 April, it is reason for believing that the 94th RL Regt (US) of the XXIX Gds Itz Rifle Corps was transferred to Ohrdruf.
2. Comment. a troop train of the 43d Gds Army Arty Brig of the Eighth Gds Army which, according to records on transportation, went to Altengrabow.

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